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**PATENT  
36856.1239****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Kazunobu SHIMOE et al.	Art Unit: 2834
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Title: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE APPARATUS AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREFOR	

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2004, the period for response to which has been extended to April 29, 2005, by the accompanying Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- ☐ Amendments to the Specification begin on page      of this paper.
- ☒ Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- ☐ Amendments to the Drawings begin on page      of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.
- ☒ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper

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